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Postal Regulatory Commission
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Dear Commissioner,

St. Hubert's Animal Welfare Center is a nonprofit organization that offers many different programs. From helping at-risk youth to transporting thousands of animals nationwide for adoption, support for our programs relies on the generosity of those who receive mailings from us throughout the year.

These mailings are a key element to direct mail appeals and acknowledgments. Should the USPS redistribute postage costs from commercial entities to nonprofit mailers, our budget for animal care and community education could suffer if funding is re-directed and our mailings do not maintain current budgetary numbers.

Raising awareness for St. Hubert's Animal Welfare Center requires numerous mailings of newsletters, invitations and solicitations to keep our facility operational. Please re-consider this "technical adjustment" for the good of all charities. Thank you.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Ann Villa". The signature is fluid and cursive, with a long horizontal stroke extending to the right.

Ann Villa
Vice President, Communications and Development

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St. Hubert's is a private 501(c)(3) non-profit organization that relies on the support of its members and donors to continue its lifesaving work.